Report Date: 9/14/2022 Report Time: 4:11 PM EDT

Region II Hotline Log Entry Information

Data ID: 2658609

Location:

Date Of Report: 5/23/2020 **NRC** #: 1277932 **State** #: 20-05-23-0725-19 **ERNS** #:

Material Type: Oil Receiver: Pellegrino

Material / Amount: OIL, MISC: TRANSFORMER (0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT);

Street: 45 WILSON AVE City: NORTH PLAINFIELD County: SOMERSET

State: NJ

Latitude: 40.623280995816394 Longitude: -74.44156706246741

Source of Pollution: PSE&G

Water Body: FOUR STORM DRAINS
State Or EPA Responded: RP/PRP Response

Initial EPA Action: contacted RP; No response necessary; NJDEP also notified

Status: 2 - Closed

URL:

Associated Action Reports

DataID: 1255157

 Date: 5/23/2020
 Time: 09:36:14

 Duty Officer/Responder Name: Carl Pellegrino
 NRC Report #: 1277932
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Action Information

Description: Contacted PSE&G. The transformer did not fall and spill contents to the ground. It remained elevated in place and spewed approximately 10 gallons of oil, as it burped during a power surge. The material entered area storms drains as a result, but

was unrecoverable, as a result of the storm. PSE&G contractor was mobilized to remove an residual oil in the storm drains.

Follup-Up: Contacted PRP

Person Contacted

Name: REBEKAH COCOLA

Organization: PSE&G Phone #: 856-2722-2730

NRC Spill Report

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-424-8802

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Incident Report # 1277932

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

*Report taken by NRC on 23-MAY-20 at 11:04 ET.

Incident Type: FIXED
Incident Cause: UNKNOWN

Affected Area: FOUR STORM DRAINS

Incident occurred on 23-MAY-20 at 08:45 local incident time.

Affected Medium: WATER / FOUR STORM DRAINS

REPORTING PARTY

Name: REBEKAH COCOLA

Organization: PSE&G

Address: 472 WESTON CANAL RD

SOMERSET, NJ 08873

Email Address: rebekah.cocola@pseg.com PSE&G reported for the responsible party.

PRIMARY Phone: (856)2722730

Type of Organization: PUBLIC UTILITY

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

Name: REBEKAH COCOLA

Organization: PSE&G

SOMERSET, NJ 08873

PRIMARY Phone: (856)2722730

Type of Organization: PUBLIC UTILITY

INCIDENT LOCATION

45 WILSON AVE County: SOMERSET City: NORTH PLAINFIELD State: NJ

RELEASED MATERIAL(S)

CHRIS Code: OTF Official Material Name: OIL, MISC: TRANSFORMER

Also Known As:

Qty Released: 0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT Qty in Water: 0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CALLER REPORTED A POLE TOP TRANSFORMER SPILLED NON-PCB TRANSFORMER OIL ON THE

GRASS, ROAD, AND INTO 4 STORM DRAINS.

INCIDENT DETAILS

Package: N/A

Type of Fixed Object: TRANSFORMER Power Generating Facility: NO

Generating Capacity: Type of Fuel:

NPDES:

NPDES Compliance: UNKNOWN

---WATER INFORMATION---

Body of Water: FOUR STORM DRAINS

Tributary of:

Nearest River Mile Marker:

Water Supply Contaminated: UNKNOWN

IMPACT

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO Sent to Hospital: Empl/Crew: Passenger: FATALITIES: NO Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant:

EVACUATIONS: NO Who Evacuated: Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Hours Direction of Closure Type Description of Closure

Air: NO Closed Closure

Road: Major

Artery: NO

Waterway: NO

Track: NO

Passengers Transferred: NO Environmental Impact: NO Media Interest: NONE

REMEDIAL ACTIONS

CALLER STATED SPEEDY DRY WAS APPLIED TO THE SPILL AREA. A CONTRACTOR WILL ARRIVE LATER TODAY WITH A VACUUM TRUCK TO CLEAN OUT THE STORM DRAINS AND THE SURROUNDING AREA.

Release Secured: YES

Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

Weather: RAINY, ½F

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal:

State/Local: NJ DEP State/Local On Scene: State Agency Number:

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL (GRASP)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (770)4887100

USCG DESK AT DHS NOC (USCG LNO)

11:13 (202)2828114 23-MAY-20

DEPT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (SECRETARY'S OPERATION CENTER (SOC))

23-MAY-20 11:13

DHS DEFENSE THREAT REDUCTION AGENCY (CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL TECHNOLOGIES DEPARTMENT)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (703)7673477

DHS INFRSTR SECURITY COMPLIANCE DIV (REGION 2)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (202) 4655909

DOT CRISIS MANAGEMENT CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (202)3661863 U.S. EPA II (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:17 (732)3214370 PELLEGRINO

USCG NATIONAL COMMAND CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (202)3722100

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE COORD CTR (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (202)2829201

NJ OFC HMLND SECURITY & PREPAREDNES (COMMAND CENTER)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (609)9636817

23-MAI-20 11:13 (009)9030017

NJ STATE POLICE (MARINE SERVICES BUREAU) 23-MAY-20 11:13 (609)9636900

NOAA RPTS FOR NJ (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (206)5264911

PIPELINE & HAZMAT SAFETY ADMIN (HAZARDOUS MATERIAL ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (202)3664031

REPORTING PARTY (RP SUBMITTER)

23-MAY-20 11:13

SECTOR DELAWARE BAY (RESPONSE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (215)2714807

NJ DEP POC: DUTY OFFICER (MAIN OFFICE)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (609)5844551

USCG DISTRICT 1 (COMMAND CENTER)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (617)2238555

USCG DISTRICT 5 (D5 DRAT)

23-MAY-20 11:13 (757)3986231

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

NJ DEP CASE: 20-05-23-0725-19

*** END INCIDENT REPORT # 1277932 ***

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